

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Third Quarter Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
July - September 2002**

Juvenile Court **MADISON**  
Court Number **57**

July - September 2002                      241 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      228 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
2	OR	0.66% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
13	OR	4.32% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
2	OR	0.66% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
33	OR	10.96% Assault
1	OR	0.33% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
6	OR	1.99% Aggravated Burglary
71	OR	23.59% Theft of Property
13	OR	4.32% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
5	OR	1.66% Burglary
1	OR	0.33% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00% Sale of Controlled Substances
3	OR	1.00% Other Drug Offenses
7	OR	2.33% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
1	OR	0.33% Carrying Weapons on School Property
2	OR	0.66% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
4	OR	1.33% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
0	OR	0.00% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
13	OR	4.32% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
2	OR	0.66% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
2	OR	0.66% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
1	OR	0.33% Filing a False Police Report
2	OR	0.66% Criminal Impersonation
11	OR	3.65% Disorderly Conduct
24	OR	7.97% Criminal Trespass
1	OR	0.33% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
11	OR	3.65% Traffic
4	OR	1.33% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
2	OR	0.66% Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Aftercare
33	OR	10.96% Unruly Behavior
0	OR	0.00% Truancy
18	OR	5.98% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
6	OR	1.99% Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00% Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.00% Custody
0	OR	0.00% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
7	OR	2.33% Other

301	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 241 Cases, There Were

301 Referral Sources

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Referral Source

236	OR	78.4% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
37	OR	12.3% Were Referred By Parents
2	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
8	OR	2.7% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
10	OR	3.3% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
2	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
4	OR	1.3% Were Referred By Other Court
2	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
301	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 241 Cases, There Were 301 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

301	OR	100.0% Petition Filed
0	OR	0.0% Motion Filed
0	OR	0.0% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
301	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 241 Cases:

#### Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
147	OR	61.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
94	OR	39.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
241	OR	100.0% Total

#### Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

123	OR	51.0% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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12	OR	5.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
12	OR	5.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
94	OR	39.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
241	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

228 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

10	OR	4.4% Birth Through Age 10
11	OR	4.8% Ages 11 Through 12
47	OR	20.6% Ages 13 Through 14
85	OR	37.3% Ages 15 Through 16
71	OR	31.1% Age 17 Through 18
2	OR	0.9% Age 19 And Over
2	OR	0.9% Unknown/Not Reported
228	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

153	OR	67.1% Male
75	OR	32.9% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
228	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

77	OR	33.8% White
147	OR	64.5% African American
1	OR	0.4% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
2	OR	0.9% Mixed Race
1	OR	0.4% Unknown
228	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 228 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

2	OR	0.9% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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34	OR	14.9% Living With Both Biological Parents
6	OR	2.6% Living With Father And Stepmother
26	OR	11.4% Living With Mother And Stepfather

120	OR	52.6% Living With Mother
9	OR	3.9% Living With Father
12	OR	5.3% Living With Relatives
3	OR	1.3% Living With Adoptive Parents
2	OR	0.9% Living With Foster Family
4	OR	1.8% Living In A Group Home
7	OR	3.1% Living In A Residential Center
1	OR	0.4% Living In An Institution
1	OR	0.4% Living Independently
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
3	OR	1.3% Other
228	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

206	OR	90.4% Were Enrolled In School
20	OR	8.8% Were Not Enrolled In School
2	OR	0.9% Unknown
228	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

0	OR	0.0% Too Young For School
2	OR	0.9% Pre-School
1	OR	0.4% Finished Kindergarten
1	OR	0.4% Finished Grade 1
1	OR	0.4% Finished Grade 2
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 3
1	OR	0.4% Finished Grade 4
9	OR	3.9% Finished Grade 5
8	OR	3.5% Finished Grade 6
18	OR	7.9% Finished Grade 7
43	OR	18.9% Finished Grade 8
45	OR	19.7% Finished Grade 9
35	OR	15.4% Finished Grade 10
24	OR	10.5% Finished Grade 11
1	OR	0.4% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
7	OR	3.1% GED
5	OR	2.2% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
27	OR	11.8% Unknown
228	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

62	OR	27.2% Were Enrolled In Special Education
144	OR	63.2% Not Enrolled In Special Education
22	OR	9.6% Unknown
228	OR	100.0% Total

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**NOTE:** In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		601 Specific Case Outcomes
14	OR	2.33% Case Dismissed
5	OR	0.83% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
4	OR	0.67% Warned/Counseled
0	OR	0.00% Held Open For Review
17	OR	2.83% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
45	OR	7.49% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
17	OR	2.83% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
18	OR	3.00% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
2	OR	0.33% Referred To Defensive Driving School
5	OR	0.83% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
23	OR	3.83% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
5	OR	0.83% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
2	OR	0.33% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
1	OR	0.17% Fine
24	OR	3.99% Public Service
37	OR	6.16% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
81	OR	13.48% No Contact Order
88	OR	14.64% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
2	OR	0.33% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
4	OR	0.67% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
9	OR	1.50% DCS Commitment/Custody
15	OR	2.50% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
20	OR	3.33% Other Intensive Probation
9	OR	1.50% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
15	OR	2.50% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
1	OR	0.17% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued

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2	OR	0.33% Custody Changed
1	OR	0.17% Custody Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
135	OR	22.46% Other
601	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the 301 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

220	OR	73.1% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
81	OR	26.9% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
301	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 241 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 301 Referral Reasons Was:

13	OR	4.3% Dismissed
2	OR	0.7% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
194	OR	64.5% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
30	OR	10.0% Informal Adjustment
5	OR	1.7% Pretrial Diversion
6	OR	2.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
0	OR	0.0% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
0	OR	0.0% Case Held Open
51	OR	16.9% Other
301	OR	100.0% Total